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FACE THE NATION

03/05/00

Campaign 2000:

- 1) Interview with Sen. John McCain about:
 - a) the possibility that he will run as an Independent
 - b) charge by Bush that McCain is against breast cancer research/McCain's accusation that Bush is anti-Catholic
 - c) his reaction to Jerry Falwell's endorsement
- 2) Interview with Gov. George Bush about:
 - a) negative campaign ads paid for by Bush supporters
 - b) his appearance at Bob Jones University
 - c) his claim that he will make the better candidate

Guests:

former Senator John McCain, GOP Presidential Candidate (1)
Gov. George Bush, GOP Presidential Candidate (2)

03/12/00

Campaign 2000:

- 1) The McCain Factor:
 - a) how George W. Bush can win McCain's backing
 - b) the issue of large soft money campaign contributions
 - c) McCain as Bush's possible running mate
- 2) Interview with Karl Kove about: Bush's quest for McCain's support; the issue of campaign finance reform
- 3) Interview with Dan Balz about: Al Gore's statements about campaign finance; McCain's return to the Senate

Guests:

former Sen. Bob Dole (R., Kansas) (1)
former Sen. Warren Rudman (R., New Hampshire) (1)
Karl Kove, Chief Strategist, Bush Campaign (2)
Dan Balz, The Washington Post (3)

03/19/00

- 1) Interview with Secretary of Energy Bill Richardson about:
 - a) rising fuel prices/the need for the OPEC nations to increase production
 - b) Mayor Giuliani's comments about President Clinton's handling of the fuel crisis
 - c) options: the release of oil from the strategic oil reserve; opening up oil drilling offshore of the U.S.
- 2) Fight over gun control:
 - a) statement by Wayne LaPierre, Executive Vice President, the NRA
 - b) efforts to pass compromise gun legislation

Guests:

Secretary Bill Richardson, Energy Department (1)
Sen. Orrin Hatch (R., Utah) (2)
Sen. Henry Hyde (R., Illinois) (2)

03/26/00

- 1) Interview with Secretary of State Madeleine Albright about:
 - a) the meeting in Geneva of Secretary of State Albright, President Clinton and Hafez al-Assad of Syria about Israel's return of the Golan Heights to Syria
 - b) Russia: the presidential election; Chechnya
 - d) the election of a new president in Taiwan; relations between China and Taiwan
 - e) the improved situation in Kosovo
- 2) Supreme Court ruling that the FDA cannot regulate tobacco:
 - a) bills to be introduced in Congress giving the FDA that authority
 - b) a collaborative effort between the tobacco industry and the U.S. Government aimed at providing a safer cigarette and discouraging underage smokers

Guests:

Madeleine Albright, Secretary of State (1)
Rep. Henry Waxman (D., California) (2)

Steven Parrish, Philip Morris Co. Inc. (2)

60 MINUTES

- 03/05/00 **"The Columbine Effect"**- a report on the controversy over the right of disabled children to attend public schools, focusing on Lance Landers, a 16-year-old emotionally disturbed Alabama boy whose violent behavior caused him to be expelled from the entire Alabama school system. His mother is suing to have him re-admitted to public school, claiming that he is a troubled child who needs help and an education. (C: Morley Safer - P: Catherine Olian)
 "Dikembe Mutombo"- a profile of NBA superstar Dikembe Mutombo who is raising money to build a new hospital in his hometown, the Congolese city of Kinshasa, Central Africa. (C: Ed Bradley - P: Harry Radcliffe)
 "Who Is Arnon Milchan?"- an interview with Arnon Milchan, an Israeli entrepreneur and recluse who is becoming one of Hollywood's biggest independent film producers. (C: Steve Kroft - P: Leslie Cockburn)
 Andy Rooney Topic: "Andy's Mail" - why he doesn't answer letters
- 03/12/00 **"Timothy McVeigh" Pts. I & II**- an interview with Timothy McVeigh, who has been sentenced to death for the 1995 bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City which killed 168 people and injured more than 600 others. McVeigh talks about his experience in the Persian Gulf War; his disillusionment with the U.S. government; his claim that he didn't receive a fair trial; his relationship with Ted Kaczinski, the Unabomber; and the fact that if his appeal is denied he will face execution. (C: Ed Bradley - P: Michael Radutzky)
 "The Bodyguard's Story" Pts. I & II- Trevor Rees-Jones, sole survivor of the car accident that took the lives of Princess Diana and her boyfriend Dodi Al Fayed, tells about the events leading to the crash; the relationship between the princess and Al Fayed; and his decision to write a book called The Bodyguard's Story. Also interviewed with Rees-Jones is Kez Wingfield, the other bodyguard on duty the night of the crash. (C: Mike Wallace - P: Robert Anderson)
- 03/19/00 **"Hitler's Pope?"**- John Cornwell, author of Hitler's Pope, claims that in an apology issued by Pope John Paul II last week, the Pontiff omitted any mention of Pope Pius XII who, during the Holocaust, did nothing to intervene in the Nazi extermination of Jews and who, for this reason, should not be a candidate for sainthood. (C: Ed Bradley - P: Jeanne Solomon Langley)
 "Women On The Web"- while women's use of the Internet continues to spiral upward, their involvement in designing software and computers for it continues on its downward trend. Includes interviews with: Nancy Evans and Candice Carpenter founders of iVillage.com; Dr. Anita Borg, head of the Institute for Women and Technology at Xerox; and Idit Harel, founder of mamamedia.com. All aim to increase women's involvement. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Evalyn Lee)
 "Ciao Venezia"- a followup to "Ciao Venezia" (OAD: 10/30/88) about the physical deterioration of Venice due to tourism including an interview with Massimo Cacciari, the city's mayor who has launched a campaign to save Venice's art and architecture by discouraging visitors. (C: Morley Safer - P: John Tiffin)
 Andy Rooney Topic: "The Man Who Would Be President" - Andy criticizes the primary election process

60 MINUTES (continued)

03/26/00 **"By Faith Alone"**- a report on the controversy over an exception written into Medicare legislation that makes members of the Christian Science Church who enter Christian Science sanatoria eligible for benefits. Critics charge that the exception is unconstitutional because the patients, in accordance with their religious beliefs, cannot receive any form of medical care and that it constitutes an official endorsement of healing by faith alone. (C: Morley Safer - P: Alden Bourne)
"Tom Joyner"- an interview with Tom Joyner, a disc jockey radio host whose morning show is heard across the country by more than six and a half people, mostly African American. (C: Lesley Stahl - P: Jay Kernis)
"Locked Up For Life?"- the 1996 Immigration Law, designed to crack down on undesirable aliens, imposed mandatory detention and deportation on any immigrant convicted of an aggravated felony. Problems have arisen because under the law, thousands of immigrants, who have completed their sentences, are being held in indefinite detention because their native countries will not take them back. (C: Steve Kroft - P: L. Franklin Devine)
Andy Rooney Topic: "Census 2000" - Andy fills out the census form
Update: "MTBE" Parts I & II (OAD: 01/16/00)

60 MINUTES II

03/07/00 **"Murder In The First Grade"**- last week a Michigan first grader shot and killed a classmate. Controversy has arisen over the fate of the six-year-old, who has a history of anti-social behavior and whose father has a criminal record. (C: Scott Pelley - P: David Schneider)
"The Pentagon"- the Pentagon, headquarters of the American military, occupying 34 acres and housing 23,000 workers, has been identified as one of the nation's 'sickest' buildings. Includes an interview with Lee Evey who is in charge of overhauling the structure which is riddled with hazardous materials, including tons of asbestos. (C: David Martin - P: Mary Walsh)
Super Tuesday- coverage of the results of the Super Tuesday presidential primaries including interviews with: Gov. and Mrs. George W. Bush; and with Vice President Al Gore. Also includes brief videotaped concession statement by Sen. Bill Bradley. (C: Dan Rather - P: Tom Anderson, Michael Rosenbaum)

03/14/00 **"Mind Of The Assassin" Pt. I** - a report on the U.S. Secret Service, focusing its Intelligence Division and its "Exceptional Case Study Project," a research study aimed at stopping presidential assassins before they strike. The aim of the research has been expanded to include spotting people who are planning attacks on schools, churches and offices. (C: Scott Pelley - P: Bill Owens)
"Mind Of The Assassin" Pt. II- a report on the Secret Service's National Threat Assessment Center and its efforts to understand why a child may react with violence and to help school administrators and teachers recognize significant behaviors earlier. (C: Scott Pelley - P: Bill Owens)
"Liar, Liar" - a followup to "Clifford Irving" (OAD: 60 MINUTES 01/26/72), an interview with Clifford Irving who claimed to have written an authentic autobiography of Howard Hughes. The followup consists of an interview with Irving, subsequently convicted of fraud, about the failure of his deception and the time he spent in prison. (C: Wallace - P: Barbara Dury, William Brown)
"Uncommon Sense"- capital punishment (C: Jimmy Tingle)

60 MINUTES II (continued)

- 03/21/00 **"What Now?"**- an interview with Sen. John McCain, almost two weeks after he dropped out of the race for the Republican Presidential nomination, about: whether he will endorse George W. Bush; his relationship with other GOP Senators; and his unwillingness to accept a Vice Presidential nomination. (C: Dan Rather - P: Michael Rosenbaum, Tom Anderson, Shawn Efran)
"Return To The Wild"- a report on the controversy surrounding the release of wild wolves in Arizona's Apache National Forest. Ranchers claim that the wolves pose a threat to their cattle and their families, while environmentalists say that reintroduction of wolves is the only way to preserve them from extinction. (C: Jim Stewart - P: Andrew Wolff)
"Made In Cuba"- a report on the current popularity of Cuban music and 50s-style dance bands, focusing on Fidel Castro's efforts to keep his country's musicians in Cuba by offering them privileges and benefits. Includes an interview with Juan De Marcos Gonzalez who has succeeded in bringing Cuban musicians out of retirement and into the recording studios. (C: Vicki Mabrey - P: Miriam Weintraub)
- 03/27/00 **"The Killing Zone"**- the Israeli-occupied portion of Lebanon, established in 1978 as a buffer zone to protect northern Israel, has become the scene of bloody conflict, with random bombings by the Hezbollah, Islamic guerrillas largely controlled by Syria. The Israeli Government has decided to withdraw its soldiers by July, with little hope for peace in the area and an uncertain future for their Lebanese allies. (C: Bob Simon - Randall Joyce)
"Going To Extremes"- BASE (buildings, aerials, spans and earth) jumping, involves leaping off buildings or mountains with a parachute. The sport has thousands of fans despite the incidence of fatal accidents and the fact that it is illegal in many places. (C: Vicki Mabrey - P: Christine Weicher)
"Buying Judges?"- faced with the added pollution from an additional chemical plant in their area, the people of Convent, Louisiana sought help from Tulane Law School's environmental law clinic. Problems arose when justices in the State Supreme Court, who rely heavily on campaign contributions from big business, began to threaten Tulane with the loss of tax breaks and alumni contributions unless the clinic was cut back. (C: Dan Rather - P: Steve Glauber)
"Uncommon Sense" - people who deserve awards (C: Jimmy Tingle)
Correction- "Mind Of The Assassin" Pts. I & II OAD: 03/14/00
- 03/28/00 PREEMPTION

48 HOURS

- 03/02/00 **"Invisible Killers"**- investigates the hidden dangers we encounter in the form of mold, bacteria and viruses, including reports on: families whose homes became contaminated with Stachybotrys, a toxic mold carrying invisible poison which can cause illness and sometimes permanent brain damage; Strep B, a preventable virus which can be passed from mother to baby at birth, threatening the baby's life; Cody Unser, daughter of race car driver Al Unser Jr, who was left paralyzed by TM (transverse myelitis), a rare syndrome that ravages the spinal cord nerve cells; and e-coli bacteria, which is found in homes and elsewhere and could cause serious illness and even death. (C: Erin Moriarty, Bill Lagattuta, Troy Roberts, Peter Van Sant - Sr. P: Reid Collins Jr. - P: Anthony Batson)

48 HOURS (continued)

03/09/00 (48 HOURS MYSTERIES) "Cold Cases: Never Forget"- reports on the cracking of previously unsolved murder cases due to advancements in technology and the tenacity of detectives in cold case units across the U.S. Includes reports on: the arrest, trial and conviction of Joe Ture for the murders in Minnesota of Alice Huling and three of her children in 1978 and the slaying of 18-year-old Marlys Wohlenhaus in 1979; the discovery of the body of El Salvadoran immigrant Raina Marroquin, 30 years after her disappearance, and the investigation which led to the woman's killer, her former employer Howard Elkins who subsequently took his own life. (C: Erin Moriarty, Susan Spencer - Sr. P: Peter Schweitzer - P: Loen Kelley, Josh Yager)

03/16/00 PREEMPTION

03/23/00 PREEMPTION

03/30/00 "Cyberstalker"- a joint 48 HOURS/Reader's Digest investigation of the dark side of the Internet, used by 15 million children every day. Parents are beginning to realize that, despite its many benefits, the Web may also serve as a haven for pedophiles and other sexual predators. Included are reports on Operation Blue Ridge Thunder, a Virginia-based program fighting cyber crimes against children; the murder of 22-year-old Amy Boyer of Nashua, N.H., by a stalker who used the Internet to find personal information about his victim and even detailed on two national Web sites how he would kill her; and Linda Alexander, a Vista, Ca. lawyer who has set up a service to perform background checks for people using computer matchmaking services. Following the broadcast, CBS News and America Online hosted a live online chat with experts from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. (C: Peter Van Sant, Susan Spencer, Bill Lagattuta - Sr. P: Al Briganti - P: Joe Halderman, Josh Gelman, Jay Young)

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